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# People Win In High Court Ruling On The City Hall

## EMPLOYERS OF CLERKS WILLING TO BE FAIR

**Union Officials Believe That All Local Merchants Will Agree to the Rules.**

Officials of the Clerks' Union feel certain that it will not be necessary to declare any of the local stores unfair to organized labor because of the employment of girls not affiliated with the Retail Clerks' Protective Association.

Pulse Brothers have assured the union that the women clerks employed in their store will affiliate with the organization immediately. The firm of Jones & Adkison asked for and have bene gifen one week in which to convince their unaffiliated employes that they must belong to the union.

Merchants approached by the organizer for the Clerks' International Union all expressed their willingness to play fair with organized labor and it seems assured that before the week is over all local clerks will be affiliated with the union.

## PHONE WIRES TO GO UNDER STREET

In the budget of the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company an appropriation, which has not been made public, but which will amount to several thousand dollars, is provided to be used in the construction of an underground system along Macdonald avenue from Twenty-third street and also for a sub-main line, which is to be erected along Nevin avenue.

Within the next few weeks it is probable that plans and specifications for the improvements will be presented to the council for ratification.

## STREET CLOSING QUESTION UP TO COUNCIL TODAY

At the meeting of the council tomorrow night, the question of closing the Ohio street crossing, which has taken up considerable of the council's time during the past month, will be definitely decided. There has been considerable protest over the closing from propprty owners, who claim the access to their holdings will be cut off by the closing of the crossing.

The Santa Fe Company has stated that the city must live up to an agreement made several years ago to close the street. Preliminary steps toward the final closing were taken last Monday.

## S. O. TANKERS ARE DELAYED BY STORM

Because of the roughness of Raccoon Straits Friday and yesterday morning, the Standard Oil tankers Atlas and Uncas were detained at their moorings at Loeb Wharf. The Uncas cleared yesterday afternoon for Hongkong, China, with Captain Stewart in charge.

The Atlas will leave today or tomorrow for Honolulu with a cargo of case white oil. The Atlas will be in charge of Captain Kirkwood.

**RETURN FROM VISIT.**

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Summers and Mrs. M. B. Rihn have returned to Richmond from El Segundo, where the Summers have been residing. Summers was formerly in the employ of the Standard Oil Company here. Some time ago he was transferred to the El Segundo office. He has been promoted to a position in the auditor's office of the Standard Oil in San Francisco.

## Noted Oakland Pastor For Local Church

REV. THOMAS A. BOYER, D. D.

## ATTORNEYS HALL AND O'DELL WIN IMPORTANT CASE IN SONOMA CO.

Attorneys Hall and O'Dell yesterday received word of a decision rendered in their favor by the Superior Court of Sonoma county, which will be a boon to those who are buying property on the installment plan.

The title of the action, which was tried in Santa Rosa last October by Attorney O'Dell of the firm of Hall & O'Dell, was Lehrke vs. Nelson. Lehrke was attempting to eject Nelson from a piece of property the latter was buying on easy payments.

O'Dell and Hall represented Nelson. It was shown in court that Nelson had defaulted in some of his payments. When Lehrke tried to eject Nelson, the latter offered to pay for the property in full. This offer was turned down and suit for ejectment started.

Attorney O'Dell, in trying the case, brought out the point that Nelson had offered to pay the amount in full and should be given a clear title to the property.

The case was finally submitted on briefs.

The decision was handed down yesterday, and to judge from its tone, hard "sharks" are in the future barred from taking property away from a person buying on the installment plan, if the purchaser happens to be a few days late in his payments.

## MOOSE EXTRAVAGANZA "AMERICA" ENDS WITH CREDIT TO THE LODGE

The last performance of the Moose show, "America," in the Lincoln auditorium last night, was a greater success than the opening night. Polished by one night's appearance before the limelight, the local talent actors actually scintillated last night.

Miss Leona Trautvetter was excellent in the serpentine dance, and Miss Edna Dixon in the Teddy Bear chorus was heartily applauded. The orchestra, composed of Miss Erma Dearborn, piano, and Miss Martha Woods, violin, handled the musical end of the performance masterfully.

## COMPLETE ARRANGEMENTS FOR BIG WHIST PARTY ON FEBRUARY 6

Arrangements were completed at the meeting of the Contra Costa Temple of Pythian Sisters No. 24, last night for the big whist party which that temple will hold in their castle Feb. 6. The committees to handle the affair is as follows: Mrs. Bertha Cassidy, Mrs. Mary Carron, Mrs. J. C. Gregory, Mrs. A. T. Davis; Mrs. Mary Lucas. Merchandise orders will be made the prizes of the evening, and they can be cashed at any store in Richmond.

One application was taken in last night.

The second meeting of the private series of whist parties will be given at Mrs. F. Sebbah's, 554 Sixth street, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. F. W. Ainser leads with 119 points.

A Washington party is planned for Feb. 28, cards and dancing furnishing the music for the evening. The committee is as follows: Mrs. Bertha Cassidy, Mrs. C. F. Donnelly, Mrs. James Towers and Mrs. Mary Carron.

## REV. T. A. BOYER TAKES UP WORK HERE THIS WEEK

**Recently Given Degree of D. D. —Is Famous As Orator and Worker.**

After having held the pastorate of the First Christian church of Oakland for 12 years, Rev. Thomas A. Boyer, D. D., has resigned his work in that city to take up the pulpit of the First Christian church of Richmond. He will begin his work with the local church Tuesday, and will preach his first sermon in Richmond next Sunday in the church at Sixth and Bissell. He will live in the Raymond Apartments at Twenty-fourth and Macdonald avenue.

Few men are more prominent in interdenominational and nation-wide church work than Rev. Boyer. He has been called the "Henry Clay of the Christian Church" and is well and favorably known through the East.

The Berkeley Bible Seminary has very recently conferred the degree of Doctor of Divinity on him in recognition of his prominent Biblical and religious work on the Pacific Coast. He is vice president of the Oakland Federation of Churches, prominent in the interdenominational work of that city and has been much in demand as a public speaker. In his evangelistic work which occupied his early ministry, he received approximately 8000 into the church.

Previous to the Oakland pastorate Rev. Boyer held the pulpit of the Stockton Christian church for six years.

The pulpit of the Christian church will be filled this morning and evening by Rev. Lytle of Berkeley.

**OPERATED ON.**

Robert Works, who is employed in the powder plant at Giant, yesterday submitted to an operation for a growth on his lower lip. Dr. Camp was the operating physician. It was necessary to take several stitches in the incision.

## DIED GAME, TOM DID; MUTILATED BODY IS FOUND

"Tom" is dead.

After months of undisputed possesison of back yards of houses and business establishments along Sixth street, between Macdonald and Bissell, Tom has yielded to death, and now there is a new feline king.

To judge from his appearance "Tom" died game. His furry hide was covered with scratches and cuts when his lifeless body was found lying near the fence in the rear of 322 Sixth street.

No more will the slumbers of Sixth street residents be disturbed by the yowls and screeches of Tom.

Tom is a memory, a pleasant one to some and an unpleasant one to many more.

The dead cat, which was colored a tousisel gray, has been succeeded as ruler by another "Tom," whose coat is coal black.

"Black Tom" is now monarch of the back yards.

"Tom" Tracy, secretary-treasurer of the Richmond Dredging Company has been employing men more than eight hours per day on city work, in violation of the state law.

Wernse was asked to attend the last meeting of the Central Labor Council, but did not show up. He was not formally asked by the body to appear, however, and it was decided that it was a matter that should be taken up by the city and not the unions.

Wernse in explanation said that the dredger employes sleep on the dredger, but only work eight hours.

## TUNNEL WORKER BADLY INJURED

While at work in the municipal tunnel Martin S. Glov was run down by a dump train early Friday night. As a result Glov is now nursing a compound fracture of the right leg below the knee. Two bones were broken and the flesh badly torn. Dr. H. S. Abbott, the attending physician, states his patient will be in the hospital for several weeks.

## The Change, Why We Made It

## More News; Better Every Way

With today's issue the Daily News takes its new shape.

The old-fashioned six-column page has been abandoned for the seven-column page. The pages have been made two inches longer.

Head lines are smaller and type is set more solid.

We are printing more news in this issue than in the eight-page papers.

The change was deemed advisable for several reasons. The new size is up-to-date. The six-column paper is much too old-fashioned for a city as big as Richmond. The paper will be easier to handle and to read.

By cutting down the size of head lines and setting type more solidly, we are able to print even more news in this four-page paper than in the old eight-page.

By changing from eight pages to four, we are able to give you the Daily News for 25 cents per month.

Next week we will start publishing the best newspaper art service in America. Next week the work of Hugh Fullerton, Condo, Altman and others will appear in the Daily News.

"The Outbursts of Everett True" will start next week in the Daily News. The Daily News has the exclusive publication rights in Richmond of this series, which is conceded to be the funniest of any of the many newspaper comics. "Guess if they are Married," Altman's famous series, will also be printed exclusively in the Daily News.

Every effort is being made to make the Daily News the newsiest, brightest and most readable daily paper on this side of the bay.

The Daily News is the only penny paper in the east bay district and the only penny morning paper in the state.

The circulation is bounding upwards. We are now printing over 2000 copies daily. And the upward trend has not by any means been checked. The Daily News is growing rapidly, more rapidly than ever before in its existence.

We are certain that the new shape will please our many subscribers.

We know that with the many new features that are to start next week, the modern size and the extremely low price, that the Daily News is without a peer in Contra Costa county.

## ALLEGED VIOLATION OF WORK DAY LAW REFERRED TO CITY COUNCIL

A communication has been sent the city council by the Labor Council asking that an investigation be made into the charges that the Richmond Dredging Company has been employing men more than eight hours per day on city work, in violation of the state law.

## DISTRICT MEETING OF ODD FELLOWS AT BYRON VERY LARGELY ATTENDED

bers of the Contra Costa county lodges, Twilight and Eclipse, was lodges of the mystic three links handled by District Deputy Robert crowded the big special train to By- Erskine. City Attorney D. J. Hall ron last evening. The big district was the principal speaker of the eve- meeting in the hot springs town ning. was the largest attended in the history of the order and much important district work was transacted. The second degree work and Twilight conducted the second degree.

The excursion for the local two

## 119 UNEMPLOYED HOUSED IN JAIL DURING JANUARY

January promises to be the record month of the winter for night sleepers at the city jail. Although there remains one more night in this month, there have been 119 unemployed men housed in the city prison. The greater majority of the prisoners sought shelter during the rainy nights. On the nights that were extremely cold, there were few sleepers. During the entire month of December there was a total of 58 sleepers. Before January is added to the roll it will be an increase of that number of at least twenty over December.

## LOCAL POLICE DECLARE BILL AIMED AT COPS WON'T PASS

There is much speculation among the local police as to whether or not the bill that has been introduced in the Legislature, which makes it unlawful for the police to take a man's Bertillion measurements until he is convicted of what he is charged with, will pass. Most of the local force are of the opinion that the bill will be snowed under when it comes up for passage during the second half of the session.

## LOCAL WOMAN WEDS S. F. MAN

Mrs. Sarah Mann of Richmond, together with James R. Foster of San Francisco, yesterday obtained a marriage license in the transbay city. Miss Mann is a sister of Mrs. Alvin S. Falknor, formerly of 102 Fifth street, but now of East Richmond.

The marriage will be held today and the couple will make their home in San Francisco. Miss Mann is 47 and Foster 48.

## SUPREME COURT WILL GIVE CASE A REHEARING

**The High Tribunal Will Decide Whether People Have Right to Locate City Hall.**

The Supreme Court, sitting in San Francisco, yesterday handed down a decision reversing the ruling of the Appellate Court in the Richmond City Hall site controversy and granting a rehearing.

The Appellate Court recently decided that the locating of a city hall was an administrative matter and not legislative, ruling that the initiative and referendum laws applied only to legislative matters.

This decision was handed down in answer to the petition of C. E. Hopping that a writ of mandate be issued directing the Richmond City Council to show cause why it should not call an election as prayed for in the initiative and referendum petitions, and give the people the right to select the location of the city hall.

C. E. Hopping then took the case to the Supreme Court, which yesterday reversed the decision of the lower court and granted a rehearing.

On May 18, 1914, the city council accepted the offer of the Harbor Center Land Company and rejected the offer of John H. Nicholl of a site on Madonald avenue.

An initiative petition was immediately circulated, the people believing that they had the right to say where their public buildings should be located. The council disregarded them absolutely, the writ of mandate was asked, the Appellate Court upheld the city council, and now the Supreme Court has rvrsed the lower court until it reaches a decision.

**ELKS' RULER HAS GRIPPE.**

H. C. Biggs, exalted ruler of Richmond Lodge of Elks, is confined to his home on Thirteenth street, suffering with an attack of la grippe. Biggs is expected to recover and be about again in a few days.

## MANY ATTEND BERNDT FUNERAL

Winehaven's population was practically depleted yesterday, nearly every resident of the suburb going to San Francisco to attend the funeral of A. S. Berndt, former superintendent of the big plant at Pinehaven, who died in Dr. Hunn's sanitarium in Ross Valley Wednesday following an attack of blood poisoning.

The services were held in the Gray undertaking parlors at 10 o'clock. There was a large delegation from Richmond Lodge of Elks, of which Berndt was a member, in attendance at the last rites.

The pall-bearers, who were all brother Elks, follow: A. C. Faria, M. A. Hays, Sidney Stitt, Julius Stiefvater, James P. Arnold and Charles Delp.

The profusion of beautiful floral offerings laid on the bier of the deceased was testimony of the high regard in which he was held.

The remains were interred in the Mount Olivet cemetery in San Francisco.

## HURLEY MADE MEMBER OF RECORDERS' ASSOCIATION

County Recorder Hurley of Contra Costa county was honored by the Recorders' Association of California by being made a member of the executive committee. The association convened in San [illegible]

MRS. [illegible]

Mrs. Al Browning, [illegible] Browning, [illegible] sie's court, [illegible] were cold [illegible] home.

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## TO A COMPLAINING YOUNG MAN.

Complaining young man, a word to you: Are you finding fault ause the world isn't doing the right thing by you? Do you think hours of service are too long, your wages too low, and your work ard? Kindly ask your father, in the light of his experience, he thnks about it.

Let your father tell you of the frugal home of his boyhood days, eager fare, the lack of luxuries and the absence of summer va- ns. Let his tell you how happy he and your mother were under tions that to you would impel a sense of revolt.

Young man, the world has moved. You are far better off than father was. You are enjoying shorter hours, better wages, more ays, and your regular summer vacation. All the surroundings ur office, shop or factory are much better than your father had. our home there are soft carpets on the floor, curtains and screens e windows, bathing apparatus and a telephone.

here are not only sewing machines for the good mother, but ill find an organ or a piano and perhaps a talking machine for sister. Your table is well supplied with what you need and many things that in your father's boyhood were luxuries far d his reach.

top and think of these things, complaining young man, and answer the question: "Are you as good a citizen as your ?"—Leslie's Weekly.

nother htought, young man, before you accept the Leslie view rect. If your father had not complained and been discontented, it have been possible for you to enjoy the better conditions rated? If you are to leave the world better than you found it, you cease complaining and be content with things as they are!

## LAWYERLESS JUSTICE.

r hodge-podge system of rules and precedents, bristling at oint with convenient technicalities, that masquerades as law, y yielding to the spirit of the age; and there is promise that be reduced at a not distant day to some semblance of order tice. Chicago, which has already replaced the old system of stices with municipal judges, a juvenile court, a court of do- elations, and an all-night court, is now planning to set up rless court. Whatever may be said regarding the toll of the an in trade, the criticism falls with peculiar force upon the an in law. As religion becomes ecclesiasticized through the elfishness of churchmen who try to make a living out of the so the courts have become formalized through the personal of the lawyers, and principles laid down for the guidance n conduct are lost in a labyrinth of rules and forms.

ice is not such a difficult thing to determine when acts be- an and man are considered; but when attempts are made nize every separate and distinct individual act with every and distinct individual act of an ever-changing train of vents, man aspires to an impossible achievement, and at attain a useless ideal. In nothing has democracy shown nitations than in popular adjudications. Every established perquisite of some hanger-on of the court, and any attempt fought with all the tenacity of the beneficiary of

The introduction of the Torrens system of land title was not looked upon with friendly eyes by attorneys be- use would deprive them of a considerable revenue for ex- abstracts of title. The same is true of the workingmen's tion act, and of similar measures that simplify the adjust- laims. And it will be true of the new court to be set up in in which cases involving less than $50 will be disposed of he meddling of attorneys. Cases are limited to $50 in the in order that the new venture may be set on its feet with ossible opposition; but it is hoped that it will work so well mit may be raised to $500.

but another step in the work that is going on throughout It found expression in Los Angeles, where a man me is not only prosecuted by a state's attorney, but cr. njustice by a public defender. There is no reason from d not go on until the courts in practice secure rk shou in theory. The people of the country, given w professes useless formalities, irrelevant precedents, law divested o tem of law in which justice will be so ing delays, a sy l to the human conscience as well as so clear as to appe ne-tenths of the present litigation, nding, will be saved n aw that is now entirely wanting. ll have a respect for the c.


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# WILLIAMS WILL SPEAK TUESDAY

Thomas W. Williams, state secretary of the Socialist party, will speak Tuesday night in Socialist Hall, 521 North Sixth street. The subject of his lecture will be "The Tyranny of the Dead."

Williams is known all over the country for his writings and his lectures. His contributions to the press of California and his fight for the passage of the eight-hour law have made him famous.

In announcing his lecture, the Richmond Socialist local says:

"As the executive officer of the organized Socialist movement in this state, Mr. Williams speaks on the aims and the problems of labor from the inside. His lecture is a message from the heart of the Socialist movement to the world. The meaning of history to the men of the present is to be his theme.

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Music for the day: Two selections by the choir; vocal duet, Mrs. C. E. Adams and Mrs. H. G. Stidham; vocal solo, Miss Irene Conn, with chorus by choir; duet, Mrs. J. P. Smith and the pastor.

Bible study and prayer Wednesday and choir rehearsal Thursday. Social for Epworth Leaguers Friday. A hearty welcome to everybody.

P. E. PETERSEN, Pastor.

Nothing has been heard up this way of the prosecution of the promoters of the four-round game who recently allowed professional pugs to appear in the role of amateurs at their shows. Have they a district attorney in the Southern California county? Perhaps they make laws down there just for the fun of breaking them.

## BABY ARRIVES.

On Friday night a ten-pound baby boy was born to the wife of H. P. Dofer at San Pablo. Mrs. Dover's home is in Bakersfield. She is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. Cummings. Both mother and babe are reported to be doing nicely.


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# CUTS HAND OFF IN SLEEP—DIES

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He was 80 years of age.


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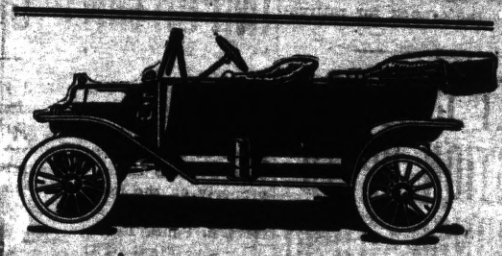
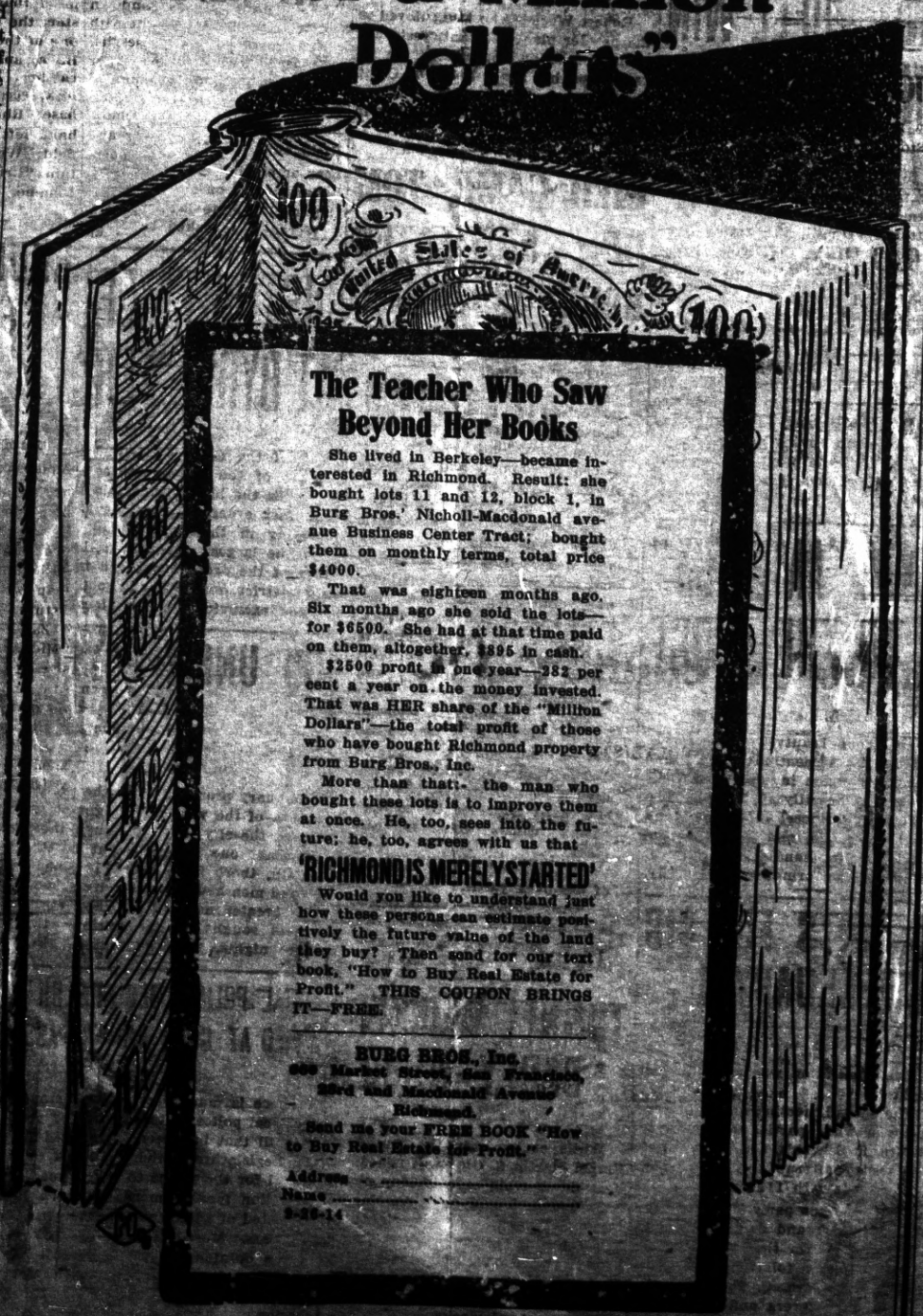



# "Tales of a Million Dollars"



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# ORGANIZED LABOR

## TO ARBITRATE STRIKE OF 15,000 OHIO MINERS

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 30.—Agreement to arbitrate the wage controversy which has kept 15,000 coal miners in the Ohio field out of work since April virtually was arrived at at last night's session of the joint conference, attended by United States conciliators, mine operators and miners' organization oycials. It was said after the session that when the conference is resumed today details of the arbitration agreement will be completed.

Mine officials who, at first, declined to listen to any compromising whatever, were gradually brought around, it was stated by the federal conciliators, Hywell Davies and Daniel J. Keefe. The operators made the offer to arbitrate, providing the two conciliators were among the arbiters. This was rejected by the miners' officials.

A plan to arbitrate with only union officials and mine operators on the arbitration board is now being evolved, it was announced.

## JOHN D.'S CHARITY BITTERLY ASSAILED BY MINE WORKERS' UNION OFFICIAL

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—The policy and purposes of the $100,000,000 Rockefeller Foundation and recent utterances on the witness stand of John D. Rockefeller Jr., were vigorously assailed today by John R. Lawson, a member of the Board of United Mine Workers of America.

Lawson said the Rockefeller Foundation had provided health for China, refugees for birds, food for the Belgians, pensions for New York widows, university training for the elect, but never a thought or a dollar for the many htousands of men, women and children starving in Colorado, widows robbed of their husbands, or children robbed of their fathers.

"Thousands of ex-Rockefeller employes today wish to God they were Belgians to be fed, or birds to be tenderly cared for," added Lawson.

## A. F. L. PRESIDENT REGRETS PASSAGE OF IMMIGRATION BILL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, made public today a letter he had addressd oe Representative Burnett of Alabama, chairman of the House Immigration Committee, expressing regret that the President had vetoed the immigration bill, with its literacy test provision, and arguing that Congress should pass the measure over the veto. At the same time Gompers gave out copies of correspondence showing the activities of the National Liberal Immigration League against all restrictive immigration League afainst all restrictive immigration legislation and tending to demonstrate that the great shipping and industrial corporations had financed this league.

## UNION OF AUTOMOBILE MEN ORGANIZED BY PAINTERS

A union of automobile and carriage painters of San Francisco has been organized by the Brotherhood of Painters. Fifty-four members signed the roll and officers were elected. The next meeting will be held Thursday, Feb. 4, in Harmony Hall, Building Trades Temple, Fourteenth and Guerrero streets.

## S. F. LABOR COUNCIL TO VOTE AGAIN FOR HEAD

The majority of votes required to elect a candidate to office in the San Francisso Labor Council was not received by any of the three candidates for president at the annual election last night, and another election is to be held next week with the name of the lowest candidate stricken from the list.

Daniel Murphy, president of the Web Pressmen's Union, received 125 votes, J. W. Mullen, editor of the Labor Clarion, received 101 votes. Fred Muller of the Riggers' and Stevedores' Union received 87 votes. Muller is an industrial unionist.

## NOTICE UNION MEN

When purchasing look for the Union Store Card and demand the Clerks' monthly working card.

## FUTURE DOINGS

April 1—Annual lecture of the Richmond Church of Christ, Scientist, in Lincoln auditorium, by William Rathbon of Denver.

Feb. 10—Whist party by Fraternal Brotherhood at Fraternal Hall.

Feb. 11—Jolly Bachelors' Club dance at East Shore Park.

Feb. 20—Masquerade ball by Hermann Sisters in A. O. U. W. Hall.

Feb. 6—Prize masquerade ball of Log Cabin Camp, W. O. W., at W. O. W. Hall.

Feb. 6—Whist party of Contra Costa Temple of Pythian Sisters in Pythian Castle. Score cards 50 cents. Refreshments.


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## FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS

WOMEN OF WOODCRAFT—Log Cabin Circle No. 508 meets First and Third Tuesday afternoons at K. of P. Hall. Mrs. Anna B. Richards, G. N. Elfreeda Scott, Clerk.

PYTHIAN SISTERS—Contra Costa Temple No. 113, meets Saturday evenings at Pythian Castle, Fifth St., near Macdonald. Marion Tubbs, M. E. C. Jessie Perry, M. of R. and C.

MODERN WOODMEN—El Cerrito Camp No. 11622, meets Tuesday evenings at W. O. W. Hall, Seventh and Macdonald. P. E. Tiller, consul. C. B. Evans, Cler.

LADIES CIRCLE OF G. A. R.—Meet Second and Fourth Tuesday afternoons at 2 o'clock in Elks' Hall. Mrs. Mary B. Moyle, Pres. Mrs. Joella Bonham, Secretary.

COL. JOHN STOTSENBURG CAMP No. 46, U. S. W. V., meets 2nd and 4th Thursday in W. O. W. Hall, cor. Seventh and Macdonald. C. A. Rodgers, Commander. S. B. Kurtz, Adjt.

[illegible] No. 2 [illegible] Olive Homestead No. 1106, meets in Pythian Castle Thursday nights, at 8 o'clock. R. B. Bryant, Foreman MATTIE J. HOUSE, Corres. (300 Macdonald, afternoons.)

I. O. O. F., M. U.—Loyal Richmond Lodge No. 9278 meets Tuesday [illegible] in Barnaman Hall, on Nine[illegible]. F. Richard, N. G. J. T. [illegible], Permanent Secretary.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Richmond Lodge No. 13, meets on Friday nights at Pythian Castle. Visiting brothers cordially invited. J. A. Gregory, C. C. A. S. Lilly, K. of R. and S.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS—Maple Camp No. 4027. Meets every Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in K. of P. Hall. Visitors cordially welcome. Ella Bowman, Oracle. Louise Wimer, Recorder, 643 S. 15th St.

ODD FELLOWS—Eclipse Lodge No. 403, I. O. O. F. meets Monday evenings at 8 o'clock at Pillow Bldg. Hall, 7th and Macdonald. F. C. Lautenschlager, N. G. E. G. Alexander, Secretary.

CEMENT WORKERS—Local No. 138 A. B. of C. W. meets Second and Fourth Wednesday eenings of each month at 8 o'clock, in Labor Temple, 4th St. near Macdonald. J. H. Duus, Pres. Dave Hutchison, Secy.

REBEKAHS — Richmond Rebekah Lodge No. 206 meets First and Third Thursdays of each month at W. O. W. Hall, cor 7th and Macdonald. Ruth L. Dyer, N. G. Margaret A. Shea, Rec. Secretary.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FORESTERS—Richmond Court No. 4940, meets First and Third Fridays of each month at Sequoia Hall. L. B. Hutchins, C. R. Miss Helen Fussell, Fin. Sec'y, 400 Macdonald Ave.

Richmond now has a population of approximately [illegible], and have room for 100,000 more. Help get that 100,000.

# THE SPORT LOG BOOK

## Curtin Says League Is Suicidal

### RICHMOND IN REVIEW

LETTERS TO the right of him.
LETTERS TO the left of him.
LETTERS on letterhead.
FOOLSCAP,
AND postcards.
LETTERS from Frisco.
RICHMOND
AND RODEO.
BROUGHT IN by office boy.
ERRAND boy.
AND postman.
COMING from everywhere.
PILED UP in the air.
ALL CRYING loudly.
"SEND HIM to Barstow."
THEN DID my boss arise.
LOOKED ME
RIGHT IN the eyes.
TALKED TO me cruelly.
VOLLEYED AND THUNDERED.
SAID HE right there.
TO ME:
"SEE WHAT you've done.
"TO WE."
(Using the pronoun
That editors use).
POINTS to the letters.
THEN
STARTS IN to scold.
AGAIN.
SCARES ME to death.
AND I'M sure.
I AM canned.
I TRY to sneak.
AWAY.
TO COME again some.
OTHER day.
WHEN THERE is nothing.
TO RILE him up so.
BUT HE holds forth.
HIS hand.
AND IN a word.
OF COMMAND.
MAKES IT apparent.
HE WANTS me to stay.
SO I sit down.
AGAIN.
WEAK IN the legs.
AND THEN.
WHAT DO you think.
THAT THIS editor did?
HE SMILED a smile.
AT ME.
SPOKE TO me.
"K-N-U-T.
"HERE IS a ticket.
"TO RAINY Barstow.
"GO TAKE the 'Angel.'
"TRAIN.
"SPEND A few weeks in the.
"RAIN.
"HAVE A good time.
"WHEN IT'S over.
"COME back.
"BUT ERE you go.
"AWAY.
(Do it this very.
Day).
"TELL ALL these people.
"WHO WRITE letters to me.
"THAT YOU have won.
"YOUR FIGHT.
"SO THAT the mail.
"TONIGHT.
"WON'T BE filled up.
"WITH THESE scribs.
"ABOUT YOU."
THEN I stood up.
AND bowed.
SPOKE ME then clear.
AND LOUD,
HURRIED TO my typewriter.
TO TELL it to you.
FOR YOU'LL be glad.
TO KNOW.
THAT I'M about.
TO GO.
SOMEWHERE.
GOOD-BYE.

## SACRAMENTO WILL NOT ENTER NEW LEAGUE THE LATEST

It looks like "curtains" for Sacramento's entrance into the State League. Bill Curtin, who financed the old State League Club in the Capital City, favors the city league formed recently.

Curtin has stated that it would be suicidal to attempt to run a State League without strong financial backing.

"I remember when I first came to Sacramento," said Curtin. "One of the first things that came to my notice was that on every vacant lot where there was room for a diamond youngsters would be seen with their bats and gloves ready to start work.

"An elimination league with a thousand dollar purse for the winner and additional money prizes bound to come with the big gates the contest will draw, is going to inspire the amateurs to play hard and fight for victory all the time."

Chief among the men thinking of playing teams in the Sacramento City League is Charles Doyle. Doyle and Curtin were figured on to go in for State League ball. They appear to have thrown the State League down. So it appears that the Staters will have to get along without them. It will be easy at that.

If Sacramento don't want to come into the league, it is a cinch that the league does not want Sacramento.

## WYLIE WILL GO AFTER DUCKS

Duck season for the season of 1914-1915 under a Federal statute, closed today. Nimrods will be allowed to shoot as late as sundown today. After tonight any caught with ducks and geese in his possession will be charged with a misdemeanor by the State Fish and Game Commission.

Oliver Wylie, local policeman, Chief of Police Charley Walker and Dan Davis plan to leave this morning for a hunt in the bay near Sobrante. Wylie stated yesterday that ducks are plentiful at Sobrante this year, and that limit bags have been reported daily for several weeks past.

## SPORTING GOULASH

The Contra Costa Athletic League, which has changed its name to the Contra Costa High School League, is meeting up with the vexatious problems of disseminating professionals from amateurs. It is not as easy as it seems. At a recent meeting of the league delegates, held in Martins, it was stated that a number of the boys on the high school teams had commercialized themselves by taking money while playing on town teams. The matter of what to do with these so-called professionals was discussed at length. Nothing definite was done, and the proposition will be taken up at a later meeting.


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## LUCE ANNOUNCES LINEUP OF HIS ELKS

Bill Luce has announced the official lineup of the Elks for the first game with St. Mary's College, to be played on the local diamond two weeks from today. Give the following the once over and make up you mind that the Elks are going to start the season out with a win over one of the fastest clubs in the state: Burns and Gordon, pitchers; Cleek, catcher; Ingrahaan, 1rst base; Zamlock, second base; Conger, third base; Rhuman, shortstop; Cunningham, left field; Christianson, center field; Woodbury, right veld. Captain "Brick" Devereaux and Herb Remmer will grace the bench.

## RHUMAN LANDED FOR LOCAL CLUB

"Dutch" Rhuman was yesterday landed to play shortstop for the Elks by Manager Bill Luce. Luce thinks he made a ten-strike in Rhuman, who is rated as one of the fastest semi-pro. infielders in the bay section. Although Luce has not decided, Rhuman will probably be a permanent fixture on the local club.

Zamlock, who will substitute for "Midget" Childs, will be shifted from short to second. With Ingraham on first and Conger on third, the local magnate opines he has a club that can't be beaten.

Until he gets the kinks out of his arms and legs, which will take him a little longer than it will the youngsters, "Brick" Devereaux, Elk captain, will sit on the bench and direct the play.


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## ALAMEDA TO JOIN NEW LEAGUE

Alameda is very anxious to get into the State League in the berth made vacant by the withdrawal of St. Mary's College. Word to this effect has been received by Manager Bill Luce from Lou Schroeder.

There is no doubt but that Alameda will have one of the travelling franchises. Bill Hammond of Alameda, who is well known in Bay circles as an ardent baseball fan, who is willing to back his judgment with money, has interviewed Schroeder, putting forth Alameda's claim to entrance.

Hammond says the entire city of Alameda will stand behind a State League club. At the meeting to be held in Stockton a week from Sunday, Alameda will be formally declared in.

The State League now looms up with the following clubs: Richmond, Stockton, Modesto, San Jose, Oakland and Alameda. The latter named are traveling clubs.

JUDGE GETS FILING CABINET.

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OH-HO SOO-OOP—COME ON—IT'S ALL READY—LETS GO WHILE IT'S DARK—
SAY IT'S GOT TH' TROJAN WOODEN HOSS BACKED OFF THE MAP!
WHICH END DO I DRIVE?
STEP SHORT BOSS—YOUR HIND LEGS ARE LONGER THAN MY FRONT ONES—GOSH YOUR WHISKERS STICK IN MY BACK—
WATCHOOR, STEP AN' MAKE A HOUSE LIKE A BOVINE—
BOSS—THIS IS A COW-ARMY WAY TO GET HOME—
CUSS TH' DARKNESS!

# ROAD SHOW AT OAK. PANTAGES

The second of the season's series of Pantages Road Shows sent out from the East will open at the Oakland Pantages theater Sunday, Jan. 31, for a week's engagement. Six all-star specialty acts, three Keystone comic motion pictures and a special feature film showing the effects of the recent tremendous earthquake in Italy, making ten features in all, will be what the Oakland Pantages management will have to offer their patrons in the current road show.

Some day you will get old and too feeble to work. You will have lots of time to read, and if you wish to be sure of having good eyesight then, you must begin to take proper precautions NOW. Get your eyes examined today by Dr. C. R. Blake.


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# REV. C. A. WILSON PREACHES TODAY

The Rev. C. A. Wilson has been called to fill the pulpit of the Baptist church and will preach his first sermon tomorrow.

Wilson came from New Mexico to take the local pulpit. He is an exceptionally able man and the congregation of the Baptist church is to be congratulated on obtaining him. Mrs. Wilson is an accomplished vocalist.

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Wendel Bouquet, formerly a student at Richmond High school, and son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bouquet of this city, will get the first real chance to see the ocean.

When the tanker Richmond, which has been loading at Long Wharf for several days, casts off the lines today or tomorrow, and steams down the coast headed for the Panama Canal and the Atlantic seaboard, Bouquet will be aboard, not as a passenger, but as a full fledged cabin boy.

San Francisco officials of the Standard Oil Company brand the story that the Richmond is to have aboard a cargo of gasoline for Germany as "preposterous, absurd, a figment of imagination and an exaggerated dream."

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Sunday school at 9:45 sharp and preaching at 11. The subject for the morning sermon is "Is a Lie Ever Justifiable?"

The Juniors meet at 3 p. m. and Young People at 6:45. The evening song service begins at 7:45 and the evening sermon at 8, the subject for which is "Samson." "To him that knoweth to do good and doeth it not to him it is sin."

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Seats are now on sale for Henry Miller, who is to be at the Macdonough in "Daddy Long Legs" for one week with three matinees, commencing on Washington's Birthday.

The National Grand Opera company, with Constantino, the great tenor, comes to the Macdonough soon.

"Peg o' My Heart," with Peggy O'Neil, comes to the Macdonough for a week's engagement in the near future.

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Feb. 6—Whist party by Contra Costa Temple of Pythian Sisters in their Castle.

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# CHURCH LEAGUE HAS ELECTION

Officers of the Epworth League of the First Methodist church, to serve for the ensuing term, have been elected as follows; Mrs. J. V. Lamore, president; Mrs. H. G. Stidham, first vice president; Ray Howland, second vice president; Wesley Stribley, third; Mrs. C. E. Adams, fourth; Verna Peterson, secretary; Gladys Wilson, treasurer; Musetta Hopkins, organist; P. E. Peterson, editor league paper.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES.

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Sunday services at 11 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock in Pythian Castle, Fifth street, near Macdonald avenue. Free reading room with circulating library, Berry building, room 7, Macdonald avenue, corner of Eighth st. Open every afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock and Friday evening from 7 to 9.

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The subject will be all relative to the Exposition and will be as follows:

February 2—The Architecture.

February 9—The Decorative Sculpture.

February 16—The Mural Decorations.

February 16—The Scope of the Fine Arts Exhibits.

February 23—The Foreign Section of the Fine Arts.

March 2—The Foreign Section of hte Fine Arts.

March 9—The American Art as Represented at the Exposition.

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CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH.

Sunday school at 9:45. The pastor will preach at 11 a. m. Junior B. Y. P. U. 2:30, B. Y. P. U. at 6:30. Song service at 7:30. Rev. C. A. Wilson of Mexico will preach morning and evening.

All are welcome.

WESLEY METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., P. McCallum, superintendent. Sermon by the pastor, text, Mark 11:13, "And seeing a fig tree afar off having leaves, He came, if happily He might find anything thereon; and when He came to it, He found nothing but leaves; for the time of the figs was not yet." Junior League 2:30 p. m. Intermediate League at 6:15 Epworth League, 6:30. Sacred Concert, 7:30, led by orchestra and choir, Al Dunlap, leader. Short address by the pastor, 7:45 p. m. Ladies' Aid on Wednesday at 2:30. Midweek service, Wednesday at 7:30, the lesson, Ruth, first chapter. Quarterly conference extension tea will be held at Trinity church, Berkeley, Feb. 6, at 2:30 p. m. Pieces 50 cents.

D. W. CALFEE, Pastor.

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# STEGE WHIST CLUB ELECTS

Officers for the Bon Ton Whist Club of Stege have been elected for the ensuing year as follows: President, W. F. Hulse; vice president, Henry Best; recording secretary, W. H. McKinna; financial secretary, Miss Fannie Conlon; treasurer, William Gately.

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LOST—Few days ago in Richmond, an opened letter containing paper money and receipts, addressed to C. F. Rice, 422 14th st., Richmond. Finder return to above address, or Daily News office; reward. 156-1t

LOST—Green Jade Buddha; part of watch fob; lost about Jan. 14 on Macdonald ave. Finder return to Daily News; reward. 152-6t

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Piano to use for its care. Call 102 N. Fifth st. 6-2t

FOR TRADE—Two Tenth st. lots; value $1800, for good auto. J. N., box, 474, Pt. Richmond. 4-3t

WANTED—Two furnished rooms in private family for gentleman and son; home comforts; reasonable. Box 263, Daily News. 3-4t

THE W. C. T. U. of Richmond would like to assist any girl that needs help who will either write or come to see Mrs. O. Wallis, 634 Fifteenth st., Richmond. 156-1t

HORSES boarded $12 per mo., with delivery; with hay only, $10 per mo.; stable and feed, without care, $10 per mo. Sanitary Stables, Box 100, Daily News office. 152-tf

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